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MINISTRY OF LAW

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The following President's Act is published for general information:—

THE KERALA KHADI AND VILLAGE INDUSTRIES BOARD (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1965

No. 5 OF 1965

Enacted by the President in the Sixteenth Year of the Republic of India.

An Act further to amend the Kerala Khadi and Village Industries Board Act, 1957

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Kerala
1 of 1965. State Legislature (Delegation of Powers) Act, 1965, the President is pleased to enact as follows:—

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Kerala Khadi and Village Industries Board (Amendment) Act, 1965. Short title and commencement.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

Amendment of section 4.

2. In section 4 of the Kerala Khadi and Village Industries Board Act, 1957 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act),— Kerala Act 9 of 1957.

(*i*) for sub-section (*2*), the following sub-sections shall be substituted, namely:—

"(*2*) The Board shall consist of not less than five and not more than fifteen members appointed by the Government from among—

(*a*) non-officials, who, in the opinion of the Government have shown active interest in the production and development of khadi or in the development of village industries; and

(*b*) officials.

(*2A*) The Government shall nominate one of the members of the Board to be its Chairman and another member to be its Vice-Chairman:

Provided that the Vice-Chairman shall be nominated from among the non-official members of the Board.";

(*ii*) in sub-section (*3*), for the words "The Vice-Chairman and the other members", the words "The Chairman, Vice-Chairman and other members" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 14.

3. In section 14 of the principal Act, for the words "the Vice-Chairman and the other members", the words "the Chairman, Vice-Chairman and other members" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 38.

4. In section 33 of the principal Act, in clause (*c*) of sub-section (*2*), for the words "the Vice-Chairman and the other members", the words "the Chairman, Vice-Chairman and other members" shall be substituted.

S. RADHAKRISHNAN,
President.

R. C. S. SARKAR,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Reasons for the enactment

Under section 4 of the Kerala Khadi and Village Industries Board Act, 1957, the Minister in Charge of the Industries Department shall be the Chairman of the Kerala Khadi and Village Industries Board. On the issue of the Proclamation of the Vice-President of India discharging the functions of the President on the 24th March, 1965, the Council of Ministers for the State of Kerala has ceased to exist. Consequently, there is at present no Chairman for the Kerala Khadi and Village Industries Board. Under the Act, certain functions are to be performed only by the Chairman. The vacancy in the office of Chairman has resulted in certain practical difficulties in the day to day functioning of the Board. To overcome these difficulties, it is proposed that the Chairman, instead of being the Minister in Charge of the Industries Department as at present, should be nominated by the Government from among the members of the Board.

2. The present enactment is intended to achieve the above object.

3. The Committee constituted under the proviso to sub-section (2) of section 3 of the Kerala State Legislature (Delegation of Powers) Act, 1965 (12 of 1965) has approved the enactment of this measure as a President's Act.

D. C. DAS,
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
Department of Social Security.

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